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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2663**

Docket No.: 121.1026 (formerly 1011.1018)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

H. Paul HOLZWORTH et al.

Serial No. 09/427,031

Group Art Unit: 2663

Confirmation No. 2648

Filed: October 26, 1999

Examiner: LEE, CHI HO A

For: ADJUSTABLE CONNECTION ADMISSION CONTROL METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
PACKET-BASED SWITCH

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 3, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on December 3, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.